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SUBJECT: WORLD AIRWAYS

REFS: SANA 2485; SANA 2647

1. WORLD AIRWAYS RESPONDS TO REFTELS AS FOLLOWS: QTE:  
DEPARTMENT HAS ADVISED US OF YOUR MESSAGE OF 21 SEPT REQUESTING INFORMATION ON WORLDS CURRENT POSITION WITH RESPECT TO AIRLINE MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT. WE ARE ACTIVELY WORKING ON PROPOSAL THAT WOULD CONSTITUTE YEMEN PLAN FOR JOINT VENTURE ALONG LINES GEGHMAN THINKING. WILL INCORPORATE INDEPENDENT ECONOMIC STUDY WHICH WE HAVE FINANCED. PROPOSAL WILL BE COMPLETED 01 OCT AND IMMEDIATELY HAND CARRIED TO GEGHMAN WITH COPIES TO YEMEN AIRWAYS, ASNAG AND EMBASSY. AFTER DIGESTION PERIOD OF ABOUT ONE WEEK/10 DAYS WE WOULD SEND TEAM TO DISCUSS PROPOSAL IN DETAIL. FYI WE UNDERSTAND YEMEN AIRWAYS CURRENTLY NEGOTIATING WITH BOEING FOR PURCHASE OF B737-200. IN OUR OPINION THIS WOULD BE SERIOUS MISTAKE AS OUR ECONOMIC STUDY SHOWS B727-200 TO BE BEST SUITED AIRCRAFT FOR PERMANENT ACQUISITION. OUR OPINION IS UNBIASED AS WORLD OPERATES NEITHER AIRCRAFT TYPE. PLEASE PASS FOREGOING TO GEGHMAN. BEST REGARDS,  
BRIAN COOKE, SR. VICE PRESIDENT, WORLD AIRWAYS. UNQTE. INGERSOLL

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